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SUBJ: PROPOSED WEU COMMITTEE VISIT TO US

REF: (A) STATE 193750; (B) PARIS 24052

SUMMARY: WEU COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, AND
AEROSPACE PROPOSES TO VISIT US APRIL 10-21. PROVISIONAL
SCHEDULE APPEARS BELOW. ACTION REQUESTED: APPROVAL BY
JAN 15 OF DATES FOR VISIT. END SUMMARY.

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1. IN REF A DEPARTMENT APPROVED VISIT BY WESTERN
EUROPEAN UNION (WEU) SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, AND
AEROSPACE COMMITTEE IN "EARLY 1978". COMMITTEE PROPOSES
TO VISIT US APRIL 10-21 PER FOLLOWING PROVISIONAL
SCHEDULE. REF B ADVISED THAT COMMITTEE ACCEPTED
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DEPARTMENT'S SUGGESTION.

2. PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE:

MONDAY, APRIL 10:

ARRIVE WASHINGTON; BRIEFINGS AT DEPARTMENT (SUGGEST

OES, EUR, AVIATION MATTERS AND LOS)

3. TUESDAY, APRIL 11:

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND NASA
AT DOE COMMITTEE WOULD LIKE TO CALL ON SECRETARY
SCHLESINGER WITH WHOM COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN KENNETH
WARREN, UK MP, IS ACQUAINTED.

AT NASA COMMITTEE WOULD LIKE TO CALL ON DR. FROSCHE
AND WOULD APPRECIATE BRIEFINGS ON THE SPACE
TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM, COMMUNICATIONS, WEATHER, AND
OCEANOGRAPHIC SATELLITES.

4. WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12:

CALL ON DR. PRESS, PRESIDENT'S SCIENCE ADVISOR

MEET WITH SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE ON SPACE

LATE AFTERNOON: DEPART FOR SEATTLE (COMMITTEE TELLS
US BOEING IS ARRANGING RECEPTION BY MAYOR.)

5. THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, APRIL 13-14:

VISIT BOEING IN SEATTLE (ARRANGEMENTS ALREADY
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UNDERWAY)

6. SATURDAY, APRIL 15:

FLY TO LOS ANGELES, WEEKEND FREE

7. MONDAY, APRIL 17:

FULL DAY AT SCRIPPS INSTITUTE, LA JOLLA
(ARRANGEMENTS ALREADY MADE)

8. TUESDAY-FRIDAY, APRIL 18-21:

LOS ANGELES: TRW

HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA: WASA (SPACE SHUTTLE)
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9. COMMENT: COMMITTEE IS OF COURSE WILLING TO ADJUST
SCHEDULE AS REQUIRED. COMMITTEE IS PARTICULARLY
INTERESTED IN SEEING SPACE SHUTTLE DURING SECOND WEEK
OF THEIR VISIT AND WILL GLADLY SWITCH DATES OF OTHER
VISITS OUTSIDE WASHINGTON (TO WITNESS ANY SPECIAL TESTS
WHICH MIGHT TAKE PLACE AT THAT TIME).

10. COMMITTEE MEMBERS WILL PAY FOR ALL EXPENSES,
INCLUDING INTERPRETERS IN WASHINGTON. COMMITTEE WILL
ALSO HANDLE ALL HOTEL AND TRANSPORTATION REQUIREMENTS.
COMMITTEE REQUESTS NAME AND PHONE NUMBER OF CONTACT
OFFICER IN DEPARTMENT SO THAT BOEING AND SCRIPPS MAY
CONTACT HIM.

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11. CHAIRMAN WARREN HAS ASKED IF COMMITTEE COULD BE RECEIVED BY PRESIDENT CARTER. EMBOFF RESPONDED THIS WOULD BE MOST DIFFICULT AND DEMANDS ON PRESIDENT'S TIME MADE SUCH A CALL UNLIKELY. PLEASE ADVISE.

12. GROUP WILL BE COMPOSED OF 25-30 EUROPEAN PARLIAMENTARIANS. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT ONE OR TWO FRENCH OR ITALIAN COMMUNIST PARLIAMENTARIANS MAY GO ON TRIP. ALL BRIEFINGS REQUESTED ON UNCLASSIFIED BASIS.

13. ACTION REQUESTED: APPROVAL BY JAN 15 OF VISIT DATES AND APPROVAL IN PRINCIPLE OF PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE. HARTMAN

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